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CATALOGUE

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SOME RARE GREEK COINS, IN SILVER;

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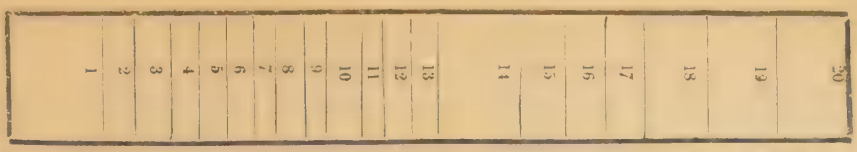

Sizes of the Coins. *Scale of Mionnet.*

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LOT

1 *Small Sizes:* Phistileia; Arpi, *rev.* Hook with annulet, *v. Millingen, also Carelli*, 1850, *pl.* XC, *n.* 7, *scarce* 2

2 Posidonia; Metapontum; Camarina, with Swan and Victory. Heraclea, *rev.* Club and bow, placed saltier-wise, five pellets, *rare*, *v. Minervini*, "*Saggio ec*," *Nap.* 1856, *pl.* II, *n.* 14 4

3 Metapontum, 8, varied; Heraclea, *rev.* Hercules and lion. Tarantum, 3, with T., varied, *as Carelli*, CXVIII, 393-394, *scarce* 12

4 Heraclea, Metapontum, Tarantum, Messana, Sybaris, &c., numerous varieties, *some scarce, and in fine preservation* 14

5 Rhodus, 2; Dyrrachium; Heraclea, &c., varied from the former, *chiefly fine* 16

6 Metapontum, *obv.* Head with horn; Heraclea; Tarantum, &c. 18

7 *Larger Sizes:* Campania, *rev.* Horse to left, club above, ROMA. between the horse's legs, *size* 4; Cales, *rev.* Biga to left, *size* 5½; Hyria, 2, one *obv.* full-faced Head, *rev.* Bull to right, *v. Carelli*, LXXXIV, *rare* 4

8 Neapolis, of ancient fabric, with legend retrograde, *as Carelli,* LXXII, *a valuable didrachm, in good condition.*

Nuceria-Alfaterna, *rev.* Rider near his horse, *Mt.* I, 123, *scarce* 2

9 Teanum, *rev.* Triga to left, *rare;* Tarantum, 5, Didrachms, varied, one *rev.* two Horsemen, all with interesting symbols, &c., *well preserved* 6

10 Tarantum, *size* 6½, *rev.* figure seated to left, *as Carelli,* CVI, 51, but no legend, *scarce* 1

11 Tarantum, *rev.* Figure seated, *rare, but oxidated; rev.* two Horsemen; *rev.* Shell beneath Taras with stretched arms, on dolphin, *an excellent specimen, scarce* 3

12 Tarantum, 3, *rev.* two Horsemen; *rev.* Taras, holding a helmet, on dolphin, to right, betwen two stars; *rev.* Caduceus before horseman, to right; Neapolis; Hyria, *poor* 5

13 Tarantum, 8, varied Didrachms; Velia, *rev.* Lion, Φ and Θ 9

14 Tarantum, 7, varied; Larissa; Metapontum; Bruttii 10

15 Tarantum, 6, all different; Velia, 2; Metapontum, *size* 6½, *a fine coin* 9

16 Tarantum, 6, varied; Metapontum, 3; Sybaris, with YM. above the bull 10

17 Tarantum, 8; Metapontum, 3; Sybaris, YM. in exergue 12

18 Tarantum, 6, varied; Metapontum, 3, one full faced, *fair* 9

19 Tarantum, 11, all with different adjuncts, &c.; Velia, with inscribed helmet, *scarce* 12

20 Heraclea, *rev.* Hercules standing to right, *cf. Hunter,* 1782, *pl.* XXIX, 13; *rev.* Hercules, full faced, a fine Didrachm, *not in Carelli* 2

21 Heraclea, *rev.* Hercules sacrificing at an altar, to left, *not in Carelli, very rare; rev.* Hercules, full faced, *both in good condition* 2

22 Metapontum, *tetradrachm, obv.* bearded helmeted Head, forepart of a lion behind, *rev.* METAΠΟΝΤΙΝΩΝ., bearded Ear of Corn and leaf, *fine, considering its rarity, v. Carelli,* CLIV, 104 *size* 6½. 1

23 Metapontum, another specimen, *fairly preserved* 1

24 Metapontum, Ear of Corn, in high relief, *rev.* the same, incuse, varied, *one fine* 2

25 Metapontum, both slightly varied from the former, *fine* 2

26 Metapontum, one *obv.* Head of Ceres to left, *fine; rev.* Wheat. *obv.* Head of Leucippus, lion's head behind, *rev.* Wheat. *obv.* young male Head, with ear of a Bull, encircled by a large horn, *rev.* Ear of Corn. *obv.* helmeted Head, *rev.* Corn, *smaller size, all very desirable* 4

27 Thurii, 3, one a Tetradrachm, *rev.* Bull tossing to right, *scarce;* Didrachms, varied. Velia, 2. Caulonia, 2; *all in fair state* 7

28 Thurii, Didrachms, 3, varied; Croton, 2, Tripod, *rev.* same, incuse, one has the stork, symbol perhaps of the river Æsarus, *v. Leake,* "*Num. Hellen.*" 1854 5

29 Velia, *obv.* with Δ above the helmet, *rev.* Lion, adjunct pentagon, between Φ and I, *fine.* Croton, 2, *rev.* Eagle, varied, *rare; all desirable* 3

30 Croton, *obv.* crowned Head of Juno Lacinia, *adv. rev.* Hercules seated, vase, tripod, above bow, club, and Δ, or pointed cap, *v. Carelli,* CLXXXIV, *a valuable specimen* 1

31 Croton, *obv.* and *rev.* as before, but ΚΡΟΤΩΝΙΑΤΑΣ, bow and club on the ground, to left, *also very desirable* 1

32 Croton, both varied from the former, *in fair preservation* 2

33 Croton, *obv.* Head of Apollo (of Croton), *rev.* Infant Bacchus seated on a rock, *adv.*, looking to left, in each hand a serpent, *fairly preserved* 1

34 Croton, *obv.* Tripod, *rev.* same, incuse; *obv.* Tripod and leaf, *rev.* Eagle on stag's head, *well defined, rare* 2

35 Croton, 3, varied; Terina, *rev.* winged Female (Niké), seated, holding a caduceus 4

36 Croton, 4, all different; Caulonia, 2, usual types, *well preserved* 6

37 Caulonia, 3, *sizes* 8½, 6 and 5; Syracusæ, 2, Tetradrachms, one *rev.* Quadriga, beneath it Phœnician letters, another *rev.* Biga 5

38 Terina, *obv.* Head of the goddess Terina to right, in a wreath, *rev.* winged Female, with caduceus, seated to left on a square pedestal, *this reverse presents a fine specimen of numismatic art* 1

39 Terina, *obv.* Head to left, *rev.* Female with wings, seated on a pedestal, a wreath in her right hand, *fine;* Caulonia, *size* 3 2

40 Pyrrhus Epiri Rex, *obv.* young male helmeted Head, to left, *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ.ΓΥΡΡΟΥ., veiled Female (or Thetis), in long drapery, holding the shield (of Achilles) and seated on a sea-horse, *a very rare tetradrachm, oxidated* 1

41 *False Coins:* Hiero of Syracuse, Medallion, *rev.* Quadriga; Pyrrhus, 2, *rev.* Minerva to left; Brutus, *rev.* Cap of Liberty between daggers; Ventidia, *rev. homo nudus*, with spear and patera, *all fine as objects of art* 5

42 Sextus Pompeius, Sestertius, *obv.* S. POMP., bearded Head to left, *rev.* Roman Galley, or trireme, with spread sail, and triquetra, varied from *Cohen*, XXXIV, 11, from *Riccio, &c.* 1

43 Augustus, Colonial, *obv.* AVGVSTVS., bare Head, *rev.* C. A. (Cæsarea-Paneas, according to *Eckhel*, not having a date,) encircled by a laurel garland, *fine, and of pale yellow brass size* 11. 1

44 *Copper Coins:* 42; Sauromates III, *rev.* Female seated, *rare and fine;* Asander; Panticapeum; Cotys; Pæstum, and others. Silver Pennies of Edward III, 13, of various towns. Pius IX, *rev.* SCVDO. 1847, *extra fine* 56

ENGLISH AND COLONIAL COPPER, &c.

45 Tradesmen's Tokens of the 17th century, *all fine, and all of different towns*, 12; Charles II, Pattern Halfpenny, SOLI. DEO. GLORIA., St. Michael slaying the dragon; Another, CAROLVS. A. CAROLO., *rev.* Britannia, 1673; and the Pattern Farthing of 1665, with QVATVOR. MARIA. VINDICO. 15

46 Gun Money of James II: the Crown; Half Crown, 4; Shillings, 6; Sixpences, 4; *all different dates* 15

47 William and Mary, Pattern Halfpenny, 1694; George I, Halfpenny, 1717; George I, for Ireland, the Halfpenny of 1722, and the Halfpenny and Farthing of 1723; *all selected specimens, in the finest condition* 5

48 Anne, Pattern Halfpenny, *rev.* the Queen, as Britannia, seated under a crown, *fine and rare* 1

49 Another, *rev.* Rose and thistle growing from one stem, under a crown, *equally rare* 1

50 Anne, Pattern Farthing, dated 1713, *rare and fine* 1

51 Another, of 1714, *extra fine and rare* 1

52 Another, same date, but with broad edge, *perfect condition, and rare* 1

53 Another, struck in silver, *rev.* PAX. MISSA. PER. ORBEM., Peace in a biga at full speed, *very fine condition, and extra rare* 1

54 Isle of Man, struck by the Earl of Derby, 1733, the two varieties, *in perfect condition;* George III, the British Commercial Penny, of 1797; the Pattern Penny of 1799, *rev.* VIGEBIT., &c., and the Penny, Halfpenny, and Farthing, for Ireland, 1806; *all fine proofs* 7

55 George III, Proof Pattern Pennies of 1797, two varieties, *both rare* 2

56 George III, the Penny for Demarara, 1813, two specimens, *one of them gilt;* the Penny for Ireland, 1805, *gilt proof*; Pattern Halfpenny, by *Droz*, 1790; Proof Halfpenny of 1770, and the Farthing of 1771; Pattern Farthing of 1798, broad edge; Proof Halfpenny for Ireland, 1775, and the Farthing of 1806; *all proofs, or in fine condition* 9

57 George III, for the Isle of Man, 1786, the two varieties; for Barbadoes, the two varieties, 1788 and 1792; for Bahama, 1806, and another for Bermuda, 1793; *all proofs, or in perfect condition* 6

58 George IV, Penny, Halfpenny, and Farthing, 1826; the Penny for Ireland, 1822; the Colonial Penny of 1823, *rare;* and the Half and One-third of the Farthing; *all fine proofs* 7

59 William IV, the Penny, Halfpenny, and Farthing; Victoria, the Penny, Halfpenny, Farthing, and Quarter Farthing, and the Halfpenny for New Brunswick; *all fine proofs* 8

60 Victoria, for the Isle of Man, the three varieties, 1839; for Gibraltar, the three varieties, 1842; Ceylon, three varieties, 1802; Ionian Islands, six varieties; British India, six varieties, 1791 and 1804; Sierra Leone, two varieties, 1791; and four of the United States; *all in fine condition, or proofs* 27

61 Alfred the Great, the Penny, LVDIG. MON., *fine and rare* 1

62 British, Colonial and Foreign Silver, *nearly all fine* *weight 6ozs. 15 dwts.*

63 British, Colonial and Foreign Copper, including some of the "Rosa Americana," and of the United States, *chiefly fine* 157

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MISCELLANEOUS COINS.

64 Roman First, Second, and Third Brass, various, *many false* 440

65 Roman First, Second, and Third Brass, various, *many false* 765

66 Roman First, Second, and Third Brass, of a better class 98

67 Roman Coins. *Second Brass:* Augustus; Etruscilla; Volusian; Diocletian, helmeted Head to right, *scarce.* *Third Brass:* Lælian, *rare;* Marius; Tacitus; Probus; Maximian Hercules; Carinus; Carausius; Allectus, two varieties; Romulus, and others 28

68 *Second Brass:* Nepotianus, *obv.* FL. NEP. CONSTANTINVS. AVG., Head, bearded and diademed, to right, *rev.* VRBS. ROMA., Rome seated, *exergue* R.Q., *fine, and very rare* 1

69 Egyptian: Ptolemy, two sizes; Numi Alexandrini; Emperors and Empresses, various, 24. Greek Imperial: *Metropolis,* Sev. Alexander; *Galatia,* Trajan; *Ephesus,* Valerian, and others 47

70 Celtiberian Coins. *Copper:* Helmantica; Savia; Kebnia, *rare;* Ilerda, and two others, *unpublished.* *Silver:* Helmantica, 2; Merobriga; Bursada; Oninges and Urso, 2, and two others 14

71 Greek Coins. *Copper:* Rhegium, Smyrna, Messana, Brettium, Tauromenium, Syracuse, Catana, Centuripæ, Suessa, Hiero, *all well preserved* 17

72 Neapolis, Syracuse, Agathocles, Carthage, and others 44

73 Greek Coins. *Silver:* Macedon, *size* 8, Head of Diana to right, *rev.* Club; Metapontum, *size* 4, Head of Cora to right, *rev.* META., Ear of bearded Wheat, in the field a star, *both fine* 2

74 Locri, *size* 4½, ΛΟΚΡΩΝ., Head of Jupiter to left, *rev.* Eagle and hare; Terina, *size* 5, TEPINAION., female Head to left, *rev.* the Siren Ligeia seated; Heracleia, *size* 5, Head of Pallas, *rev.* HPAKΛEIΩN., Heracles and the Nemean Lion; Samnium, rude head, with ITALIA. behind it, in the Samnitic character; *all scarce* 4

75 Athens, *size* 9, Head of Pallas-Athena, *rev.* Owl on diota; Corinth; Bruttii, veiled head of Juno; Thessalia; Neapolis; Tarentum; Metapontum; Velia 8

76 Syracuse, *size* 6, *rev.* Quadriga; Another, *size* 4, Head of Arethusa, *rev.* Warrior, exergue ΛEYKAΣΠIΣ., *rare;* Selinus, *size* 2, *rare type;* Istrus; Agrigentum; Massilia, &c. 11

77 Antiochus IV, Tetradrachm, Head, diademed, to right, *rev.* BAΣIΛEΩΣ. ANTIOXOY. ΘEOY. EΠIΦANOYΣ., Jupiter, seated, holding a small Victory in his right hand, and the hasta in his left, *fine and rare* 1

78 Philistis Queen of Syracuse, *rev.* BAΣIΛIΣΣAΣ. ΦIΛIΣTIΔOΣ., Victory conducting a quadriga, *very fine reverse* 1

79 Alexander Bala, Drachm; Tetradrachmæ of Antiochus VII; Alexander the Great, and Lysimachus 4

80 *Gold.* Philip II. of Macedon, *size* 3½, *rev.* a Figure conducting a biga; and an Electrum Coin of Asia Minor 2

81 Miscellaneous Greek Coins, silver, *some false* *wt.* 10¼ *oz.*

ROMAN CONSULAR DENARII.

*** The references are to Monsieur Cohen's excellent work, "*Description Générale des Monnaies de la République Romaine*," *Paris*, 1857.

82 Servilia, *n.* 10, CASCA. LONGVS., Head of Neptune, *rev.* BRVTVS. IMP., Victory, *rare;* Claudia, *n.* 5, VESTALIS.; Satriena; Sulpicia, *n.* 2; Eppia; Postumia, *n.* 5, *some fine* 6

83 Cornelia, *n.* 10, 24; Cœlia, *n.* 4, 7; Junia, *n.* 12; Herennia; Cæcilia, *n.* 9, 4; Sicinia; Cassia, *n.* 4, *well preserved* 10

84 Aquillia, *n.* 2; Calpurnia; Cæsia; Pomponia, *n.* 8; Postumia; Cæcilia; Farsuleia; Egnatia, *n.* 2; Marcia, *n.* 4, 8; Aurelia, *n.* 7; Vibia, *n.* 18, *some well preserved* 12

85 Cordia, Cassia, Licinia, Plancia, Hosidia, Plautia, Cæsia, Julia, Cornelia, Hostilia, Tituria, Coponia, and others 15

86 Antonia, Fonteia, four varieties, Acilia, Plancia, Junia, Postumia, Plancia, Cornelia, Servilia, Rubria, Sergia, Hosidia, Vibia, and others 20

87 Porcia; Fufia; Terentia; Maria, *n.* 5, *rare;* Æmilia; Cornelia, *n.* 13; Valeria; Plætoria; Livineia; Cipia; Poblicia; Sulpicia; Titia; Nonia; Egnatuleia; Volteia, and others 24

88 Consular Coins, uncertain, five of them of Campanian work, with head of Janus, *rev.* Quadriga 7

ROMAN IMPERIAL DENARII.

89 Pompey; Julius Cæsar; M. Antony and Octavius; Augustus, 2; Tiberius, 2; Nero; Titus; Domitian; Nerva; Sabina; Aurelius; Faustina junior 15

90 Severus; Julia Domna, 3, *rev.* PVDICITIA., Pudicity seated, full faced; Caracalla, *large size;* Geta; Julia Mæsa, four varieties; Barbia Orbiana; Mamæa; Sabinia Tranquillina, *rev.* CONCORDIA. AVGG., *false* 13

91 Diadumenian, *rev.* PRINC. IVVENTVTIS; Julia Paula, *rev.* CONCORDIA.; Aquilia Severa, *rev.* CONCORDIA.; Balbinus, *large size, rev.* PIETAS. MVTVA. AVGG. 4

92 Julia Soæmias; Mæsa; Etruscus, *rev.* SPES. PVBLICA., *rare;* Hostilian; Valerian, 2, *rev.* CONCOR. EXERC.; Macrianus, *rev.* ROMAE. AETERNAE; Probus; Carus; Numerian 10

93 Billon Coins: Gordian III, 6; Philip sen.; Otacilia, 3: Philip jun., 3; Traj. Decius, 3; Etruscilla; Etruscus; Treb. Gallus, 2; Volusian, 3; Valerian, 2; Mariniana; Gallienus, 2; Salonina, 2; Saloninus; Valerian jun. (?) *rev.* ORIENS. AVGG.; Postumus, 2 34

94 Billon Coins: Gordian III, 7; Otacilia, 2; Decius, 2; Treb. Gallus, 2; Volusian, 2; Valerian, 2; Gallienus, 5; Salonina, 4; Saloninus, 2; Postumus, 3 31

95 Julian II, 4; Valentinian, 2; Valens, 2; Magnus Maximus; Arcadius, 4; Zeno, *rev.* Eagle; Anastasius, with the name of the King, *Baduila* 15

*** *The Seven following Lots contain many Forgeries of rare Coins.*

96 Consular and Imperial Denarii, *poor* 50

97 Denarii, as before 50

98 Denarii, as before 50

99 Denarii, as before 50
100 Denarii, as before 50
101 Denarii, as before 50
102 Denarii, as before 74

ENGLISH COINS.

103 Early British, *Gold*, *Ruding*, *pl.* 2, *n.* 37, *fine*; Gaulish Coins, *Silver*, four varieties 5

104 St. Peter, Penny, *Ruding*, *pl.* 12, *n.* 11, but having an ornament on the obverse as on *n.* 14; Cnut, *Ruding*, *pl.* 23, *n.* 10, the identical coin of the Glocester Mint; William I, Profile to left, with sceptre, Romney Mint 3

105 Edward the Confessor; William I, bonnet type, Southwark Mint; John, Halfpenny, triangle type; Richard III, Groat, London; Charles I, Oxford Half Crown, 1644; and others 20

106 Oliver Cromwell, Half Crown and Shilling, 1658, *both fine* 2

107 Oliver Cromwell, Pattern Ninepence, 1658, *fine and rare* 1

108 Two boxes of Sulphur Casts of Greek and Roman Coins 2

ANTIQUITIES.

109 Three Bronze Celts, and a Spear Head 4

110 An old Gun Lock, Bronze Figure of the Saviour, Bronze Ornament for a Belt, Roman Spoon, Etruscan Bronze Figure, and others 8

111 Roman Potters' Stamps, 4; Early Bronze Seals, 6 10

112 Bronze Fibulæ, 3, *one silvered*; Roman Bronze Keys, &c. 16

113 Silver Rings: Curious Hebrew Ring, composed of silver and iron wire, plaited; a Merchant's Ring, silver gilt; Another, with two hands joined; and a Pin 4

114 Roman Dice, and various Beads; an Ornament, hand shaped, mounted for suspension 9

115 Terra-cotta Lamps, and various Fragments of Samian Ware; Fragment of Pottery, from the Island of Elephanta, with an inscription of six lines; Fragments of Glass, &c.

116 A Cabinet, containing nine drawers of different sizes 1

117 A Mahogany Cabinet, containing twenty-eight trays, pierced for coins of various sizes 13 *in. by* 13 *and* 16½ *in. high.* 1

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118 Æthelstan, Penny of the Shrewsbury Mint; Hiberno-Danish, 4; Henry III, Pennies, 3, one REX. TERCI.; Mary, Irish Shilling, 1553, *poor;* Philip and Mary, Shilling, 1554 10

119 Miscellaneous Coins, silver, chiefly English *weight* 7½ *oz.*

120 Medals 7

121 Silver 8

122 Medals 18

THE END.

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